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Sir:

It is requested that the time for response to this Final Office Action dated January 24, 2007, be extended to end July 24, 2007 under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136. Fees to cover extensions through June 24, 2007 have previously been made in the amount of \$450.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

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